

Weymouth Feb 22nd

Dear Maria & Anne, 1861

I got out of town
in good order last night
& found all well. Ma-
brish. In the mail was
your (Ms) letter & the enclos-
ed from Henry & Caroline.
When you have both read
C's return it to me, for it
will be harder to read it,
& I will condense in a legi-
ble hand for him.
This is not the one to read
to Anne Perry - I will send
in the other. I did not have
time to tell you dear Maria
last night, that I found
Mary much more on her
hind legs than in the morn-
ing. "She was better," "was
stronger," "had sat up an
hour & a half," & I think I
shall be easy now & have
a good night." "I think
Maria had better go to
night, I shall do very well
then," when I opposed this

she said "There will not
be the least necessity for
her to stay" Wendell will
be at home !!! "Don't you
think her mind a little
affected. Give this letter
to Anne, & she must burn it.
Fanny Garrison was in the
cars, going down to Springfield
to stay till Monday. I fancy
Fanny is her mother over again
- very amiable - I said all
that was proper about Anne
& Phebe, but they were well
aware of Phebe's sickness.
Hester has gone to the mail &
I will enclose any other
letter. 3 D. Lewis came last
night. Ever yours D. W. I should
stay in town wednesday or no. It
isn't decent safe or proper to
come away. Take a walk in
the air every day. Do it as a
formality. Don't C. Thomas's letter
famous. What is there he
would like as a memento.
write I say.